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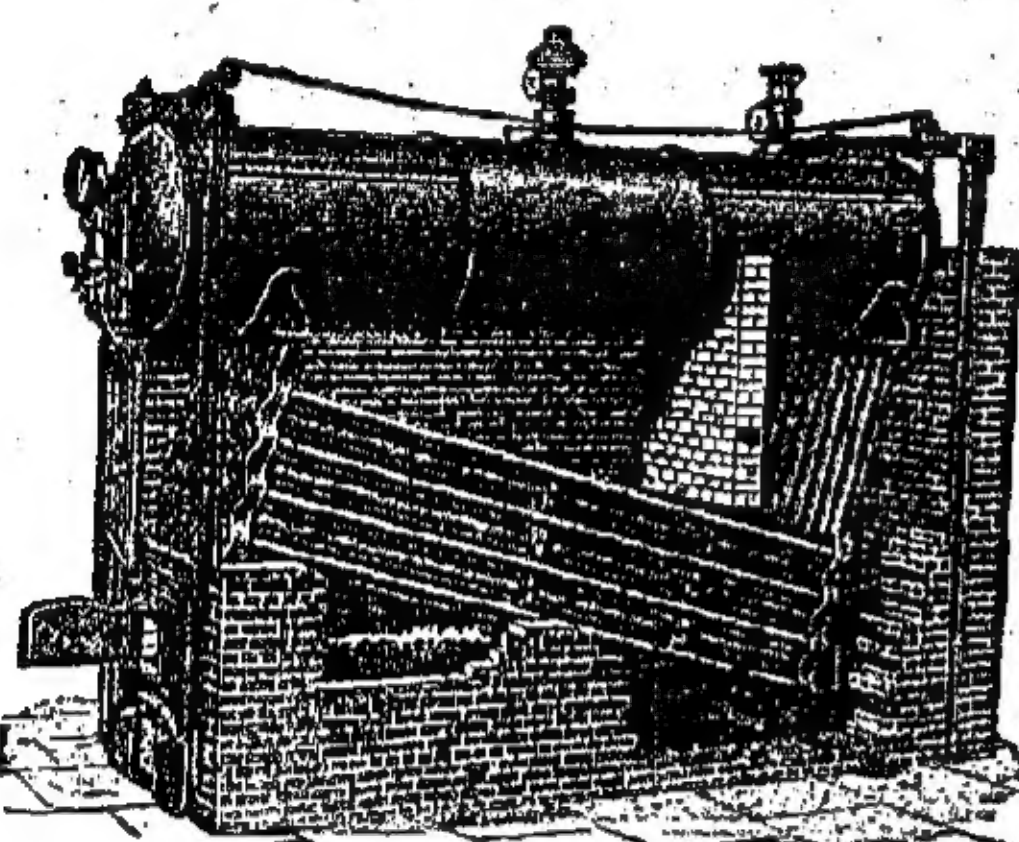
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Hongkong, January 12, 1900. 89

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Hongkong, January 23, 1900. 175

CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN AND
MORTGAGE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EX-
TRAORDINARY GENERAL
MEETING of the China Provident Loan
and Mortgage Company, Limited, will be
held at the Office of the Company, No. 9,
Praya Central, on THURSDAY, the 8th
day of February, 1900, at Noon, when the
subjoined Resolutions, which were passed
at an Extraordinary General Meeting of
the Company held on the 23rd of January
1900, will be submitted for confirmation.

RESOLUTIONS:

1.—That the Capital of the Company be
increased to \$2,000,000 by the creation
and issue of 50,000 New Shares of
\$20 each.

2.—That the Commission of the General
Managers be reduced to 5 per cent.
and that the figure '8' in the sixth
paragraph of Article XI. of the Ar-
ticles of Association of the Company be
struck out and the figure '5' substituted therefor.

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, January 23, 1899. 190

MUSIC.

MAESTRO GALLUZZI, of the ROYAL
CONSERVATORY of Naples, is prepa-
red to receive a limited number of pupils.
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MAESTRO GALLUZZI,
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Hongkong, November 25, 1899. 2590

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

THE WANCHAI GODOWNS.

WE the Undersigned have This Day
been Appointed AGENTS for the
above GODOWNS. All applications for
Storage of Goods should be made to us.
T. RAUCHENSTEIN & Co.,
12, Desborough Arcade.
Hongkong, January 4, 1900. 37

THE WANCHAI GODOWNS.

WE have This Day Appointed Messrs.
T. RAUCHENSTEIN & Co. to be
AGENTS for the above GODOWNS;
all applications for Storage of Goods should
be made to them.
TANG LAP TING,
MOK KUN HUI,
MOK YUEK LIM.
Hongkong, January 4, 1900. 38

NOTICE.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF
CANTON, LIMITED.

DURING the Temporary Absence from
the Colony of the Undersigned, Mr.
E. C. LANE will SIGN for the Secre-
tary.
By Order of the Board,
DOUGLAS JONES,
Secretary.
Hongkong, January 27, 1900. 918

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HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK-
ING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the OR-
DINARY HALF-YEARLY MEET-
ING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Cor-
poration will be held at the City Hall,
at 11 o'clock on SATURDAY, the 17th
day of February Next, at Noon, for the
purpose of receiving the Report of the
Court of Directors, together with a State-
ment of Accounts to the 31st December,
1899.

By Order of the Court of Directors,
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, January 24, 1900. 182

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK-
ING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the
REGISTERS of SHARES of the
Corporation will be CLOSED from
SATURDAY, the 17th day of February
Next, to the 28th day of February
Next, during which Period NO
TRANSFER of SHARES can be Register-
ed.

By Order of the Court of Directors,
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, January 24, 1900. 183

THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILD-
ING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the
ELEVENTH ORDINARY MEETING of
SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will
be held at the Company's Office, Victoria
Buildings, on TUESDAY, the 7th day of
February, 1900, at Noon, for the purpose
of receiving the Report of the Directors,
together with a Statement of Accounts for
the year ending 31st December 1899.

The REGISTER of SHARES of the
Company will be CLOSED from SATUR-
DAY, the 27th day of January, to TUESDAY,
the 6th day of February (both days inclusive),
during which period no transfer of Shares
can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
A. SHELTON HOOPER,
Secretary to the Hongkong Land
Investment and Agency Co., Ltd.,
agents for the Kowloon
Land and Building Company, Ltd.
Hongkong, January 16, 1900. 118

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS:

THE Thirty-First Ordinary Annual
MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the
above Company will be held at the
Office of the Company, Pedder Street,
on THURSDAY, the 1st day of March,
1900, at 12 o'clock (Noon), to receive a
Statement of Accounts to 31st December,
1899, and the Report of the General
Managers, and to elect a Consulting Com-
mittee and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-
pany will be CLOSED from the 15th Feb-
ruary, at 12 o'clock (Noon), to the 1st
day of March, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.
Hongkong, January 30, 1900. 230

PRIVATE TUITION.

THE Advertiser is prepared to give
LESSONS in FRENCH or ENGLISH.
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Hongkong, January 20, 1900. 204

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WANTED, from about the 15th Febru-
ary Next, a Middle-Sized GODOWN.
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Hongkong, January 30, 1900. 134

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO
STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND of the Rate of 8 Per
Cent. on the 25th day of January, 1900,
at the Ordinary Half-Yearly Meeting of
Shareholders, held This Day, will be
PAYABLE at the Hongkong and Shang-
hai Banking Corporation, on and after
FRIDAY, the 2nd day of February, 1900.

Shareholders are requested to apply to
the Office of the Company for WAR-
RANTS.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
T. ARNOLD,
Secretary.

Hongkong, February 1, 1900. 237

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Hongkong, January 1, 1900. 6

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LTD.

THE Nineteenth Ordinary Annual
MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS
will be held at the Office of the Company,
Pedder Street, at Noon, on WEDNES-
DAY, the 7th day of February, to receive a
Statement of the Company's Accounts to the
31st December, 1899, and the Report of
the General Managers.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-
pany will be CLOSED from the 25th Inst.,
to the 7th day of February, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, January 25, 1900. 201

THE STAR FERRY COMPANY,
LIMITED.

SHAREHOLDERS in the above Com-
pany are requested to send their
SHARE CERTIFICATES to the Undersigned to
be exchanged for FULLY PAID UP
SHARES.

EDWARD OSBORNE,
Secretary.

Hongkong, January 23, 1900. 178

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FOR SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUI.
THE Company's Steamship
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Captain K. SORAHIMA, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 4th February, at Daylight.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA,
Agents.
Hongkong, January 30, 1900. 225

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHIMONOSEKI AND KOBE.
THE Company's Steamship
CHANGSHA,
Captain, Moon, will be despatched on FRIDAY, the 3rd Feb.
The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First Class Saloon is situated forward of the Engines.
A duly qualified Surgeon is carried, and the Vessel is fitted throughout with Electric Light.
For Passage, apply to
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Agents.
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CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE.
THE Company's Steamship
TSINAN,
Captain ANDERSON, will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 13th February.
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N.B.—Return Tickets issued by this Company to and from Australia are available for return by the Steamers of the Eastern and Australian S. S. Co., and vice versa.
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Agents.
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CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA.
THE Company's Steamship
LUNGSANG,
Captain VERGARA, will be despatched on MONDAY, the 6th Feb., at 4 p.m.
This Steamer has superior Accommodation for First-class Passengers and is fitted throughout with Electric Light.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, January 26, 1900. 212

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA.
THE Company's Steamship
SUNGKAYAN,
Captain MOORE, will be despatched on MONDAY, the 6th Feb.
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Agents.
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SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.'s STEAMSHIP LINE.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL.
THE Steamship
QUEEN-ELEANOR,
will be despatched for the above Port on or about the 11th February.
To be followed by
The Steamship
MORVEN,
on or about the 25th February.
For Freight, apply to
SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,
Agents.
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OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.
THE Company's Steamship
MENELAUS,
Captain TOWERS, will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 6th February.
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FOR MANILA.
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OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LIVERPOOL DIRECT.
Taking Cargo at London rates.
THE Company's Steamship
PYRRHUS,
Captain BATT, will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 14th February.
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EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.
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THE Steamship
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Captain DANIEL, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 20th February, at Daylight.
This well-known Steamer is specially fitted for Passengers, and has a Refrigerating Chamber which ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions, tea, &c., throughout the voyage.
This Steamer is installed throughout with the Electric Light.
A Stevedore and a duly qualified Surgeon are carried.
N.B.—Return Tickets issued by this Company to and from Australia are available for return by the Steamers of the CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY and vice versa.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Agents.
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OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.
THE Company's Steamship
STENTOR,
Captain JACKSON, will be despatched on MONDAY, the 20th February.
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OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL.
THE Company's Steamship
SARFEDON,
Captain GRIFF, will be despatched on MONDAY, the 6th March.
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BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
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COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.
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STEAM FOR
SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, PONDICHERY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, DIBOUTI, EGYPT, MARSEILLES, MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, LONDON, HAVRE, BORDEAUX;
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Contents and value of Packages are required.
For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.
G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.
Hongkong, January 30, 1900. 232

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DAY. STEAMSHIP. CAPTAIN. DATE.
LONDON, &c., via Palletta * F. N. TILLARD. Noon, 2nd February.
YOKOHAMA, via NIKI & KOBE, Roshia O. C. TALBOT, R.N.R. About 3rd February.
SHANGHAI, via Clyde C. D. DENNY, R.N.R. About 3rd February.
LONDON, via Canton C. F. LOUGHEON, R.N.R. About 22nd February.
SHAI & JAPAN, via G. W. GOLDEN, R.N.R. About 24th February.
YAMAHA, via NAKI & KOBE, Roshia W. H. HARRINGTON, R.N.R. About 25th February.
MARSEILLES, & LONDON (PARANATTA, 31st March; MASSILA, 14th April). Freight or Passage. (Without Transshipment).
* See Special Advertisement.
For Freight or passage, and further Particulars, apply to
H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent.
P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office.
Hongkong, January 30, 1900. 158

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SACHSEN WEDNESDAY, 7th February.
OLDENBURG WEDNESDAY, 21st February.
BAYERN WEDNESDAY, 7th March.
STUTTGART WEDNESDAY, 21st March.
KONIG ALBERT WEDNESDAY, 4th April.
WEIMAR WEDNESDAY, 18th April.
PRUSSEN WEDNESDAY, 2nd May.
HAMBURG (Hamburg Amerika Linie) WEDNESDAY, 16th May.
PRINZ HEINRICH THURSDAY, 14th June.
SACHSEN THURSDAY, 28th June.
OLDENBURG THURSDAY, 12th July.
BAYERN THURSDAY, 26th July.
STUTTGART THURSDAY, 9th August.
KONIG ALBERT THURSDAY, 23rd August.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 7th day of February, 1900,

at Noon, the Steamship SACHSEN, of the Norddeutscher Lloyd, Captain F. MESTZ, with MAILED PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO will leave this Port as above, Calling at NAPLES and GENOA.
Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon on Monday, the 6th February, and Parcels will be received at the Agency's Office until Noon, on Tuesday, the 6th February.
Contents of Packages are required. No Parcel Receipts will be signed for less than \$2.50 and Parcels should not exceed Two Feet Cubic in Measurement.
The Steamer has splendid accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewards.
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Auctions.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

No. 22.

THE following Particulars of SALE of CROWN LAND by PUBLIC AUCTION, to be held at the Office of the Public Works Department, on MONDAY, the 5th day of February, 1899, at 3 p.m., are published for general information.

By Command, J. H. STEWART LOCKHART, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 20th January, 1900. 222

Particulars of the Letting by Public Auction, to be held on MONDAY, the 5th day of February, 1899, at 3 p.m., at the Office of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of Crown Land in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 21 years.

Particulars of the Lot.

Lot	Area	Boundaries	Annual Rent	Term
1	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
2	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
3	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
4	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
5	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
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By Command, J. H. STEWART LOCKHART, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 20th January, 1900. 223

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

No. 23.

THE following Particulars of SALE of CROWN LAND by PUBLIC AUCTION, to be held at the Office of the Public Works Department, on MONDAY, the 5th day of February, 1899, at 3 p.m., are published for general information.

By Command, J. H. STEWART LOCKHART, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 20th January, 1900. 223

Particulars of the Letting by Public Auction, to be held on MONDAY, the 5th day of February, 1899, at 3 p.m., at the Office of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of Crown Land in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of Her Majesty the Queen for every further term of 75 years.

Particulars of the Lot.

Lot	Area	Boundaries	Annual Rent	Term
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